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House File 332

February 21, 1947. By HENDRIX, HICKLIN, SCHWENGEL.  
 Cities and Towns.

# A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section four hundred four point  
 five (404.5) subsection thirty-two (32),  
 Code 1946, relating to levy for police depart-  
 ment maintenance fund.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 Section 1. Section four hundred four point  
 2 five (404.5) subsection thirty-two (32), Code 1946, is  
 3 hereby amended by striking everything following the period  
 4 (.) in line six (6) thereof.

1 Sec. 2. Section four hundred four point five  
 2 (404.5) subsection thirty-two (32) is further amended by  
 3 adding the following:

4 "The provisions hereof are hereby made  
 5 applicable to cities under special charters."

## EXPLANATION OF H. F. 332

Section four hundred four point five (404.5), subsection thirty-two (32), Code 1946, provides that any city having a population of 12,000 or over, regardless of the form of government, may levy not to exceed 3½ mills for the police department maintenance fund. As a special charter city, Muscatine is denied this right. The purpose of this bill is to amend Section four hundred four point five (404.5) subsection thirty-two (32), Code 1946, to permit special charter cities to have the same right as other cities of like size.